

IN THE CLAIMS:

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4. (Twice Amended) A bag for [attachment to a breastmilk pump for] containing breastmilk, the bag when flattened defining a perimeter to the bag, comprising:

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a liquid containing portion and a writing area,
an opening provided in said liquid containing portion for admission of breastmilk into said liquid containing portion [attachment of the bag to a breastmilk pump], said writing area being formed integral with said bag and spaced from said opening and having a writing surface which is located inboard of the bag perimeter, and further being isolated from said liquid containing portion of said bag whereby when milk is admitted [expressed] into said liquid containing portion of said bag said integral writing area remains free of milk beneath said writing surface and is freely accessible for writing thereon.

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6. (Amended) A bag [attachable to a breastmilk pump] for containing breastmilk, said bag having a front side and a back side and being initially hermetically sealed about a liquid containing portion to said bag, [having] an opening being defined therein[,] which opening is initially closed by a releasable seam means between said front side and back side to seal said opening such that said opening can be opened for [attachment of said bag to the breastmilk pump] admitting breastmilk into said bag by pulling said front side and back side apart along said seam means.

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8. (Twice Amended) A bag for attachment to a breastmilk pump for containing breastmilk, the bag when flattened defining a perimeter to the bag, comprising:

a thermoplastic film front sheet and a thermoplastic film back sheet, said front and back sheets being joined by a first seal, said first seal being a permanent seal and defining a liquid containing portion,

a writing area formed integral with said bag by [said first seal] joining said front and back sheets inboard of the bag perimeter in facial engagement to define said writing area, and further being isolated from said liquid containing portion and spaced from an opening defined in said bag through which milk is introduced into said liquid containing portion whereby, when milk is expressed into said liquid containing portion of said bag, said integral writing area remains free of milk therebelow and is freely accessible for writing thereon, and

a pour spout formed integral with said bag and defined by said first seal, said pour spout being separate from an opening defined by said front and back sheets which opening is used for attachment of said bag to the breastpump.

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12. (Twice Amended) A bag for attachment to a breastmilk pump for containing breastmilk, the bag when flattened defining a perimeter to the bag, comprising:

a plastic film front sheet and a plastic film back sheet which are joined to form a liquid containing portion which is initially hermetically sealed, said front and back sheets being joined by a first seal line, said first seal line being a permanent seal and defining [a] said liquid containing portion,

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be poured from said bag.

16. (Twice Amended) A milk collecting device having a disposable container, comprising:

a breastpump having [comprising] a hood body within which a breast is received for expressing milk,

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a thermoplastic bag for containing milk therein, said bag having a releasable seal defining an opening for use in attaching said bag to said breastpump, and a permanent seal defining a liquid containing portion to said thermoplastic bag and further defining a writing area formed integral with said bag which writing area is isolated from milk contained within said bag and free of milk therebelow, said permanent seal still further defining a pour spout formed integral with said bag but separate from said bag opening, said liquid containing portion being initially hermetically sealed by said releasable and permanent seals.

an adapter collar member having an opening defined therein through which adapter collar member opening said bag is received with part of said bag surrounding said bag opening being spread apart in overlying fashion with respect to said adapter collar opening,

said breastpump further including a breastpump collar [for attachment of] to which said adapter collar member is attached [thereto] with said part of said bag surrounding said bag opening being fixed between said breastpump collar and said adapter collar member for passage of milk through said breastpump and into said bag through said opening, and

a tie for use in closing said bag opening, said bag material having a pair of holes defined therein adjacent said bag opening and on opposite sides of said bag opening through which holes said tie is received.